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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOGADISCIO 1470

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PINS, SO, US

SUBJ: ARMS AID FOR SOMALIA

REFS: A) MOGADISCIO 1469; B) KHARTOUM 2912; C) STATE 199070 (NOTAL)

1. DURING TALK WITH AMBASSADOR ADDOU AUGUST 26, ADDOU SAID THAT FOREIGN MINISTRY HAD RECEIVED CABLE FROM SOMALI EMBASSY KHARTOUM REPORTING THAT AMEMBASSY OFFICIAL OR OFFICIALS HAD DISCLOSED THQT US WOULD NOT RPT NOT HELP SUPPLY SOMALI GOVERNMENT WITH ARMS AND THE USG HAD IN EFFECT RENOUNCED ITS EARLIER AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPAL TO PROVIDE GSDR WITH DEFENSIVE WEAPONS.

2. SIAD HIMSELF HAD RAISED KHARTOUM REPORT WITH ADDOU, WHO DENIED IT AND REAFFIRMED US ASSURANCE CONVEYED THROUGH HABIB (STATE 199070) THAT US AGREEMENT NOT RPT NOT WITHDRAWN. USG DECISION WAS THAT IMPLEMENTATION IMPOSSIBLE UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES BUT THAT BASIC AGREEMENT NOT RPT NOT WITHDRAWN.
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3. I WAS SUMMONED THIS MORNING AUGUST 28 BY DIRECTOR GENERAL FONMINISTRY WHO RAISED KHRTOUM REPORT AND ASKED ME IF IT WAS TRUE THAT US HAD RENOUNCED DECISION TO AID SOMALIA WITH ARMS. I DENIED IT AND SAID THAT US HAD DECIDED IT COULD NOT IMPLEMENT DECISION AT PRESENT BUT THAT BASIC AGREEMENT NOT RPT NOT WITHDRAWN.

4. FOR KHARTOUM: YOU MAY WISH CLARIFY US DECISION WITH FONMIN IF IN YOUR MIND THERE IS ANY DOUBT AS TO THEIR INTERPRETATION. STATE 199070 WHICH SUMMARIZES UNDER SECRETARY HABIB'S TALKS WITH AMBASSADOR ADDOU IS BEING PROVIDED FOR YOUR GUIDANCE.

5. FOR DEPT: YOU MAY WISH ASSURE YOURSELVES THAT US DECISION IS NOT RPT NOT SUBJECT MISINTERPRETATION ELSEWHERE AT A TIME WHEN GSDR HAS ITS EAR SO CLOSELY TO GROUND. LOUGHRAN

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